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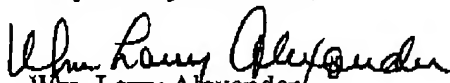
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Attached please find the following for filing in the above-identified application.

- (1) Amendment in response to Office Action dated October 8, 2004.

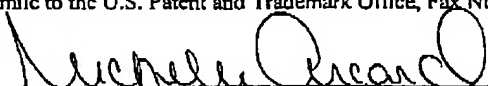
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ELECTRIC PARKING BRAKE SYSTEM

AMENDMENT TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

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INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action of 8 October 2004, amendment to the above-identified patent application is requested.

The present amendment comprises the following sections:

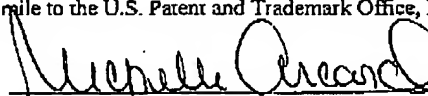
- A. Amendments to the Claims; and
- B. Remarks.

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